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METHODS OF TREATING MYELODYSPLASTIC SYNDROME WITH ANTI-TNF
ANTIBODIES

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Anti-TNF antibodies, fragments and regions thereof which are specific for

5 human tumor necrosis factor- α (TNF α) and are useful *in vivo* diagnosis and therapy of a number of TNF α -mediated pathologies and conditions, as well as polynucleotides coding for murine and chimeric antibodies, methods of producing the antibody, methods of use of the anti-TNF antibody, or fragment, region or derivative thereof, in immunoassays and immunotherapeutic approaches are provided.

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